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TAGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A.), AFSP

SUBJECT: SECVISIT LONDON -S/S REQUIREMENTS

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1. SECRETARIAT

S/S TEAM OFFICER GEORGE WARD WILL BE MET ON ARRIVAL AT LONDON OCTOBER 11. LOOK FORWARD TO RECEIVING HIS TRAVEL DATA. EMBASSY WELCOMES WARD'S ASSISTANCE IN MAKING FINAL COMMUNICATIONS AND ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS.

AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR NUMBERING, PREPARING, CONTROLLING AND DISTRIBUTING TOSEC AND SECTO CABLES SERVICES UNDERSTOOD. COMMUNICATIONS SUPERVISOR WILLIAM EWING WILL COORDINATE CABLE TRAFFIC.

E. COMMUNICATIONS SUPERVISOR EWING WILL OVERSEE RECEIPT, PREPARATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF TWICE DAILY NEWS SUMMARIES FROM DEPARTMENT.

2. ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS:

A. AUTOMOBILE WITH SECURITY CLEARED CHAUFFEUR WILL BE AVAILABLE S/S USE 24 HOUR BASIS.

B. S/S CONTROL ROOM WILL OPERATE IN EMBASSY CONFERENCE ROOM (60' X 20') WHICH WILL CONTAIN FOUR DESKS (SIX IF PREFERRED), WORK TABLES FOR OPEN STORAGE CHESTS, XEROX MACHINE, BAR-LOCK FILE CABINET, TWO IBM SELECTRIC TYPEWRITERS, AND TABLE SPACE FOR SORTING CABLE AND PRESS

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TRAFFIC. LOCAL AND EMBASSY TELEPHONE DIRECTORIES AND

CITY MAPS, ETC., WILL BE ON HAND. ADDITIONALLY, TWO ADJOINING OFFICES, ONE WITH DESK, THE OTHER WITH TWO DESKS, WILL BE EQUIPPED AND READY. WITHIN THE S/S SUITE IS A PRIVATE OFFICE WITH PRIVATE BATHROOM FOR THE SECRETARY AND AN ADJOINING OFFICE EQUIPPED FOR TWO SECRETARIES.

C. ALL OF THESE S/S OFFICES WILL BE OPERATED AS SECURE AREA 24 HOUR BASIS WITH MSG COVERAGE.

3. MISCELLANEOUS ARRANGEMENTS:

A. FSO JOHN RILEY WILL ACT AS CONTROL OFFICER FOR S/S TEAM. HE WILL MEET SECRETARIAT OFFICER WARD, ASSIST WITH MAKE-READY ARRANGEMENTS, AND BE AVAILABLE THROUGHOUT VISIT. AMERICAN SECRETARIAL SUPPORT WILL BE PROVIDED.

B. UPI AND BRITISH PRESS ASSOCIATION TICKER TAPES WILL BE PROVIDED AT TWO-HOUR INTERVALS. FLASH NEWS REPORTS WILL BE DELIVERED AS RECEIVED.

C. USIS WIRELESS FILE AND ALL MAJOR LONDON NEWSPAPERS, PLUS PARIS-EDITION HERALD-TRIBUNE, WILL BE DELIVERED EARLY MORNING AND AS PUBLISHED THROUGHOUT AFTERNOON AND EVENING. SCHEDULE OF LONDON RADIO AND TV NEWS PROGRAMS WILL BE POSTED. BOTH RADIO AND TV UNITS ARE AVAILABLE.

D. FILE OF PRESS CLIPPINGS (TWO COPIES) WILL BE ASSEMBLED FOR DELIVERY AT CLOSE OF VISIT.

E. SCENARIO FOR SECRETARY'S VISIT FOLLOWS IN SEPARATE CABLE.

F. AMBASSADOR AND MRS. ANNENBERG'S RECEPTION-DINNER AT CLARIDGE'S EVENING OCTOBER 14, AND THEIR RECEPTION AT WINFIELD HOUSE EVENING OCTOBER 15, WILL BE ATTENDED SOLELY BY SENIOR MEMBERS SECRETARY'S PARTY, CHIEFS OF MISSIONS, POLITICAL COUNSELORS, PLUS APPROPRIATE OFFICERS EMBASSY LONDON. ESTIMATED TWENTY WIVES WILL ALSO ATTEND. NO NON-US PERSONNEL WILL PARTICIPATE. NO FORMAL SEATING ARRANGEMENTS INVOLVED. BUFFET LUNCH WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR CONFEREES IN CONFERENCE AREA BOTH OCTOBER 15 AND 16
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AMBASSADOR'S PRIVATE DINING ROOM AVAILABLE FOR SECRETARY'S USE IF HE DESIRES. WOULD APPRECIATE ADVICE ON SECRETARY'S PLANS FOR LUNCHEON OCTOBER 15-16.

4. SECRETARY'S TRANSPORTATION

SEVEN-PASSENGER CADILLAC CM/LIMOUSINE WILL BE AT

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SECRETARY'S DISPOSITION. TWO SEDANS HAVE BEEN EARMARKED FOR ACCOMPANYING SECRET SERVICE. ALL CARS WILL BE DRIVEN BY EXPERIENCED, SECURITY-CLEARED CHAUFFEURS. THESE THREE CARS PLUS OTHER VEHICLES AVAILABLE FOR RELATED SUPPORT ACTIVITIES, ARE RADIO CONTROLLED WITH DUAL MONITORING CONTROLS LOCATED IN EMBASSY'S DESPATCHER'S OFFICE AND OFFICE OF SECURITY OFFICER.

5. SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS

A. OVERALL PLAN FOR PROTECTION OF SECRETARY WILL BE COORDINATED WITH SECRET SERVICE BEGINNING WITH ARRIVAL OF ADVANCE AGENTS OCTOBER 8.

B. THE SECRETARY'S SUITE AT CLARIDGE'S, THE SECRETARIAT OFFICES, AND THE CHIEFS OF MISSION CONFERENCE AREA WILL BE UNDER ROUND-THE-CLOCK MSG CONTROL DURING ENTIRE VISIT. LONDON POLICE WILL DETAIL EXTRA PATROLMEN TO CLARIDGE'S HOTEL AND PROVIDE EXTRA STREET PATROLS IN THREE-BLOCK AREA AROUND CHANCERY, PARTICULARLY IN THE STRETCH BETWEEN THE CHANCERY AND THE FOUR HOTELS AT WHICH SECRETARY AND MAJORITY OF CHIEFS OF MISSION WILL BE STAYING.

C. POLICE SUPERINTENDENT FOR CENTRAL LONDON IS PROVIDING FOURTEEN PATROLMEN TO BOLSTER SECRET SERVICE AGENTS, MARINE SECURITY GUARDS, AND THE EMBASSY'S REGULAR WATCHMEN (TOTAL 30 PEOPLE) TO PROVIDE SECURITY BLANKET AT WINFIELD HOUSE NIGHT OCTOBER 15 WHEN

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AMBASSADOR AND MRS. ANNENBERG ENTERTAIN SECRETARY AND
ALL CHIEFS OF MISSIONS AT EVENING RECEPTION.

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